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KOLAR GOLD FIELD SANITARY BOARD.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE FOURTH ORDINARY MEETING OF THE KOLAR GOLD FIELD SANITARY BOARD, FOR THE YEAR 1929-30 HELD ON FRIDAY THE 21ST FEBRUARY 1930, AT 3-30 P.M., IN THE SANITARY BOARD OFFICE AT CHAMPION REEFS.

Members.

Present ... ... 13 | Absent 5

The President and Messrs. G. H. Taylor, L. P. Stokes and O. V. Rajagopal wrote regretting inability to attend the meeting. Mr. K. Rajagopala Rao was absent.

II. PROPOSALS.

5. Deferred subject No. 5 of the last ordinary meeting of the Board regarding the entertainment of an additional midwife for Lower Masikam.

Resolution.—The midwife transferred to the Maternity Hospital, from the General Dispensary, Champion Reef, may be employed on this work, in addition to her other duties.

6. Deferred subject No. 6 of the last ordinary meeting of the Board regarding the abstract estimate dated 14th September 1929 received from Mr. K. Poosamy for Rs 858 for erecting the superstructure for the Band Stand in the Silver Jubilee Park at Robertsonpet.

Resolution.—Deferred for consideration at the Budget Meeting.

7. (i) Deferred subject No. 23 of the last ordinary meeting of the Board regarding the additional grant of Rs. 150 for the supply of the bread and milk to the Child Welfare Centre, as the present allotment of Rs. 600 is found to be not sufficient.

(ii) Letter No. Mis. 198 dated 22nd January 1930, from the Medical Officer of Health, Kolar Gold Fields, reporting that he has reduced the quantity of milk to 7 lbs. a day and stopped entirely the supply of bread to the Child Welfare Centre.

Resolution.—A sum of Rs. 150 is sanctioned, the amount being found by reappropriation of sanctioned grants.

8. D. O. letter No. C. 3084-12, dated 22nd January 1930, from the Senior Surgeon in Mysore, proposing the transfer of a cook and the midwife attached to the General Dispensary, Champion Reefs, to the Maternity Hospital, Kolar Gold Fields as these servants have little or no work to do in the General Dispensary.

Resolution.—Approved. The services of this midwife should be utilised for Lower Masikam as well.

9. Letter No. 120, dated 24th January 1930, from the Executive Engineer, Kolar Division, forwarding an estimate for Rs. 2,436 with plans for constructing quarters for 2 nurses and a midwife attached to the Maternity Hospital, Kolar Gold Fields for countersignature and requesting to intimate whether the moiety of cost of the work will be borne by the Sanitary Board and the amount found in the current year.

Resolution.—The Board regret they have no funds.

III. GOVERNMENT ORDERS AND NOTIFICATIONS.

10. Letter No. L. 4697—L. B. 50-28-17, dated 20th December 1929, from the General Secretary to Government stating that no amount can be sanctioned out of Public Improvement grants for such ordinary works relating to the improvements to the underground drainage system of Robertsonpet and that the Board may meet this small expenditure, *viz.*, Rs. 1,260 from its own available funds.

Resolution.—Recorded.

The Board are of the opinion that, in the circumstances, the larger and more comprehensive schemes formulated by the Executive Engineer, Sanitary and Town Planning Division, may be taken up for consideration and the Government approached for assistance.

13. Government Order No. G. 8357-9—Medical 92-29-3, dated 18th January 1930, sanctioning the marginally noted additional establishment to the Maternity Hospital, Kolar Gold Fields, the cost being apportioned between the Sanitary Board, Kolar Gold Fields, and the Government in the ratio of one-third and two-third respectively.

1 Sub-Assistant Surgeon
1 Nurse on a pay of Rs. 25-1-35 plus R. A. W. A. and L. L. A. 14½ per mensem.
1 Ward cooly on Rs. 13 plus 1 L. A. per mensem.
1 Sweeper on Rs. 13 per mensem

Resolution.—Recorded, with the observation that the representation of the Board that the entire charges of this institution should be borne by the Government is pending decision before the Government.

17. Government Order No. L. 5830-2—L. B. 50-28-19, dated 3rd February 1930, sanctioning the proposal of the Board *re* the scheme of giving permanent water house connection in Robertsonpet, passed by the Board at their resolution No. 17, dated 23rd August 1929.

Resolution.—Recorded.

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The Board see from the G. O. No. P. N. 2489-93—9039-43, dated 25th January 1930, reviewing the Capital and Revenue Accounts of the Kolar Gold Field Water Works for 28-29 (*Vide* Resolution on Subject No. 14) that the net revenue from the project at the ened that year, was Rs. 3,59,076. Even deducting the amount to be still credited to the Depreciation Fund towards arrears, the net excess of income from the project, since the commencement, is over Rs. 1½ lakhs. In view of this, as also the present financial condition of the Board, the Board would respectfully request the Government to apportion a part of this surplus, towards the replacing of the main and the submain in Robertsonpet and towards extending Water-Supply facilities to the Oorgaum Village.

20. (i) Estimates submitted by the Medical Officer of Health for the following works :—

		Rs.	a.	p.
1.	Cost of white-washing the Loganatha Mudaliar's Chattram ...	25	0	0
2.	Constructing a cement drain to the north of Beef Stalls, Robertsonpet Market	90	0	0
3.	Cost of petty repairs, to the Sanitary Inspector's quarters at Oorgaum	8	0	0
4.	Repairing the out houses in the Public Health Office compound, Robertsonpet	15	0	0
5.	Repairs to Prichard Road at Sannakuppam	165	0	0
6.	Widening the masonry tunnel at the entrance of Nachakapalli village	95	0	0
7.	Repairing the roofing of the old Market at Andersonpet ...	200	0	0
8.	Revised estimates of the cost of repairing westeren portion of front of Market, Robertsonpet 221-175	46	0	0

(ii) Note of the Vice-President showing the amount sanctioned in the Budget under B. II, Public Works and the amount still to be required to meet the sanctioned estimates.

Resolution.—

(i) The Board resolve that items No. 5 and 6 may be referred to the Village Panchayets concerned, for disposal ; item No. 7 be considered at the Budget meeting ; and that the other items be sanctioned the cost being met by reappropriation of sanctioned grants.

(ii) *Recorded.*—The action taken in withdrawing the sum of Rs. 6,000, from Fixed Deposits, from the Bank of Mysore to meet Water Maintenance Charges and other current liabilities is approved.

21. Correspondence ending with endorsement No. P. C. 188, dated 2nd January 1930, issued to Mr. S. Arokiadoss, agent of Mr. V. Ramalingam, in the matter of confirmation of sale for Rs. 235 of the shed materials including walls, bricks, stone pillars, etc., belonging to the shed situated at the junction of Krishnaraja and Station Roads, Oorgaum.

Resolution.—Approved. The shed may be allowed to be retained at the present spot, subject to the condition that it is kept neat and tidy and is improved in appearance.

22. Correspondence ending with Medical Officer of Health's letter No. L. R. 51-29-30, dated 24th August 1929, in the matter of free grant of the open ground to the south or to the east of Sanathana Dharma Sabha building to the Honarary Secretary, United Recreation Club, Robertsonpet, for the purpose of playing badminton, volley balls or tennis.

Resolution.—The right of using the open ground to the east of the Sanathana Dharma Sabha building measuring 84' x 90' is granted, subject to the conditions approved by the President, in his order dated the 27th January 1930.

23. (i) T. A. Bills of the Medical Officer of Health for the month of December 1929 and January 1930, for Rs. 8 and Rs. 12 respectively for journeys performed to Bethamangala for water examination.

(ii) Travelling Allowance Bill of the Veterinary Establishment for the month of December 1929 for Rs. 4 for journey performed to Bangalore.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

24. Cart-hire bills of the President's Office amounting to Rs. 9-8-0 relating to the period 15th December 1929 to 8th February 1930.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

Supplemental Subjects.

25. Letter dated 17th February 1930, from Mr. B. H. Mahamad Haneef, suggesting the levy of an annual tax of Re. 0-1-6 per each weight and measure kept by merchants in the Kolar Gold Field Sanitary Board area.

Resolution.—The question may be investigated.

26. Letter No. C. 3185—29-30, dated 13—15th February 1930, from the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, suggesting the allotment of a sum of about Rs. 1,000 in connection with a scheme of useful propaganda among the rural population, by means of cinema shows.

Resolution.—The Board regret they have no funds.

27. Proposal to levy taxation, on the same rates as are in force in Robertsonpet, in respect of all private premises, shops or places of business, in the Mining area.

Resolution.—Deferred for consideration at the Budget Meeting.

28. Proposal that the question of street lighting, be again referred to the Lighting Sub-Committee which may be reappointed in view of the further correspondence and discussions with the Chief Electrical Engineer.

Resolution.—

The Board resolve that the Lighting Sub-Committee be re-appointed with Mr. L. J. Gordon, the Chief Operator, C. P. S. as an additional member to re-examine the question of the possible reduction and distribution of lights, in the Board area.

29. Correspondence ending with letter, dated 4th February 1930, from the President, District Board, Kolar, stating that, in the circumstances mentioned therein, the question of adjusting cess on Forest Revenue realised in the Sanitary Board area may be dropped.

Resolution.—May be dropped.

30. Correspondence ending with that recommendation of the Medical Officer of Health, dated 25th January 1930, that sweeper Subbi may be given a small lumpsum bonus.

Resolution.—The Board are of opinion that, in the special circumstances of the case she may be given a compassionate lumpsum grant of Rs. 60 this, however, cannot be quoted as a precedent.

31. Application of Sanitary Overseer M. Shankar Singh praying for a cycle advance of Rs. 65.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

32. Letter dated 20th February 1930, from Mr. B. Thambiah for the Catholic Congregation of Robertsonpet, Kolar Gold Fields, requesting to grant 5 old lamp posts that are lying unserviceable in Robertsonpet, for the purpose of erecting a gallery for the choir, in the church of St. Theresa, which is nearing completion.

Resolution.—May be sold to them, at a valuation.

33. Petition dated 20th February 1930, from the residents of Balaghat Camp, stating that there are no public light either in Tank Block Road, or in the road leading from Col. Keith's bungalow and praying for installation of lights in these roads.

Resolution.—Referred to the Lighting Sub-Committee reappointed in Resolution on subject No. 28, above.

V. VEDAVYASACHARYA,
Vice-President.

SHIMOGA DISTRICT BOARD.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE THIRD ORDINARY MEETING OF THE DISTRICT BOARD, SHIMOGA, HELD ON FRIDAY THE 28TH FEBRUARY 1930, AT 1 P.M., IN THE TOWN HALL AT SHIMOGA.

Members.

28th February 1930.	Present	... 26	Absent	.. 5
	Total	.. 31		

The following officers were also present on invitation :—

(1) The Executive Engineer, Shimoga Division.
(2) The District Medical Officer, Shimoga.
(3) The Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Shimoga.
(4) The District Health Officer, Shimoga.
(5) The District Educational Officer, Shimoga.

Read :—

Before the Proceedings of the day commenced the following resolutions were moved :—

Subject.—Moved by Mr. B. Gopalachar and seconded by Nawab Sher Khan of Honnali, that this Board has great pleasure in submitting their hearty congratulations to Amin-ul-Mulk Sir Mirza Md. Ismail, Kt., C.I.E., O.B.E., Dewan of Mysore, on the recent conferring of Knighthood upon him by His Majesty the King Emperor.

Resolution.—It was unanimously resolved that the congratulations be submitted to Amin-ul-Mulk Sir Mirza Md. Ismail, who took such keen interest in the affairs, development and improvement of Malnad.

Subject.—Moved by Nawab Sher Khan of Honnali, that this Board place on record their deep sense of sorrow at the untimely death of Mr. H. G. Basavappa, who was member of the District Board for a long time and who took keen interest in all the Malnad affairs and that this resolution may be communicated to the members of his family.

Resolution.—Unanimously resolved that the condolence of the District Board may be communicated to the members of the family of late Mr. Basavappa.